

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kazuki TSUCHIMOTO et al.

Confirmation No.: 9920

Serial Number: 10/056,752

Group Art Unit: 1733

Filed: January 23, 2002

Examiner: GOFF II, JOHN L.

For:

MANUFACTURING METHOD OF POLARIZING FILM, POLARIZING FILM,

OPTICAL FILM, AND VISUAL DISPLAY

Atty. Docket No.: 020617 Customer No.: 38834

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 3, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Small Entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established previously.

A statement to establish Small Entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	27	20	=	7	X \$9	X \$18	\$126.00
Independent Claims	2	3	=		X \$44	X \$88	
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims \$145 \$290							
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<u>XX</u> Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$1,346.00 (\$790.00 for the RCE fee, \$430.00 for the extension of time fee, and \$126.00 for the additional claim fee). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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